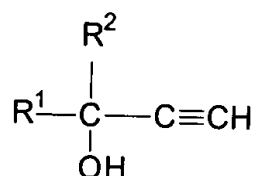


CLAIMS

The status of the claims with this response are as follows.

Claims 1-2 (canceled)

3. (currently amended) A method of attracting mosquitoes within a three-dimensional space comprising releasing within the three-dimensional space an a mosquito attracting effective amount of at least one 1-alkyn-3-ol of the formula:



wherein R¹ is a saturated aliphatic hydrocarbon group containing from 1 to about 12 carbon atoms, and R² is hydrogen.

4. (original) The method of Claim 3 wherein R¹ is C₅H₁₁.
5. (original) The method of Claim 3 wherein the attracting effective amount ranges from about 0.01 mg/hr to about 10 mg/hr.
6. (original) The method of Claim 3 wherein the attracting effective amount ranges from about 0.04 mg/hr to about 3.5 mg/hr.
7. (original) The method of Claim 4 wherein the attracting effective amount ranges from about 0.01 mg/hr to about 10 mg/hr.
8. (original) The method of Claim 4 wherein the attracting effective amount ranges from about 0.04 mg/hr to about 3.5 mg/hr.

9. (original) The method of Claim 3 wherein the releasing comprises evaporation, atomization or ionic dispersion.
10. (original) The method of Claim 4 wherein the releasing comprises evaporation, atomization or ionic dispersion
11. (original) The method of Claim 6 wherein the releasing comprises evaporation, atomization or ionic dispersion.
12. (original) The method of Claim 8 wherein the releasing comprises evaporation, atomization or ionic dispersion.
13. (original) The method of Claim 4 wherein carbon dioxide is released concurrently with the at least one 1-alkyn-3-ol.
14. (original) The method of Claim 6 wherein carbon dioxide is released concurrently with the at least one 1-alkyn-3-ol.
15. (original) The method of Claim 8 wherein carbon dioxide is released concurrently with the at least one 1-alkyn-3-ol.
16. (original) The method of Claim 11 wherein carbon dioxide is released concurrently with the at least one 1-alkyn-3-ol.
17. (original) The method of Claim 12 wherein carbon dioxide is released concurrently with the at least one 1-alkyn-3-ol.

Claims 18-21 (canceled)